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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

FEBRUARY 15, 2007

TIME:

8:31 A.M.

PLACE:

Conference Room 329

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

AMENDEDAGENDA

THE AGENDA HAS BEEN AMENDED BY ADDING HB 1514 AND DELETING HB 505

HB 1514

RELATING TO TAXATION.

HLT/HSH, FIN

Establishes exemptions from income and general excise taxes for

certified adult foster homes.

HB 1597

RELATING TO HEALTH CARE.

HLT/HSH, FIN

Requires health care facilities and providers to notify the state designated protection and advocacy entity or agency prior to transferring a patient to an out-of-state health care facility.

HB 1599

RELATING TO COMMUNITY PLACEMENT.

HLT/HSH, FIN

Directs the departments of health and human services to maintain an inventory of all facilities licensed or certified under their jurisdiction and their vacancies to facilitate the placement of individuals in

community-based facilities.

HB 1170	MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A WEST HAWAII PERMANENT HOUSING PROGRAM. Appropriates funds to establish a program to provide rental housing for the homeless in transition.	HSH, FIN
HB 1167	MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR HOMELESS SHELTER PROGRAMS. Appropriates funds for homeless shelter programs on the island of Hawaii.	HSH, FIN
НВ 1096	RELATING TO STATE MORTGAGE CREDIT CERTIFICATES. Assists low- and moderate-income home buyers by providing a state income tax credit up to 20% of the annual mortgage interest paid per year.	HSH, FIN
HB 1137	RELATING TO TAXATION. Provides an income tax deduction to residential unit owner occupants for qualifying costs of installation of an automatic fire sprinkler system installed after December 31, 2007.	HSH, FIN
HB 1361	RELATING TO HOUSING. Corrects chapter 356D, relating to the Hawaii Public Housing Authority, to reflect the Legislature's intent to codify various acts into this chapter, and to make other necessary technical and housekeeping amendments.	HSH, FIN
НВ 906	RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING. Creates an affordable housing inventory advisory commission to identify, maintain, and report to the legislature on estimates of the existing and potential supply of all categories of affordable housing and the existing and potential demand for affordable housing in the State. Requires the commission to make recommendations to relevant state or county agencies to encourage affordable housing opportunities in the State.	HSH, FIN
НВ 1076	RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING. Creates the affordable housing inventory protection board.	HSH, FIN
НВ 1095	RELATING TO HOUSING. Clarifies counties' powers with respect to low and moderate income housing projects and use of revenue bonds to finance such projects.	HSH, FIN

DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW

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